

**ENTERED**

October 04, 2018

David J. Bradley, Clerk

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
CORPUS CHRISTI DIVISION**

JOE HAND PROMOTIONS, INC.,	§	
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Plaintiff,	§	
VS.	§	CIVIL NO. 2:18-CV-27
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RAFAEL D. ARREOLA; dba TEXAS BEST LITTLE POURHOUSE; dba TEXAS BEST LIL' POURHOUSE, <i>et al</i> ,	§	
	§	
Defendants.	§	
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**ORDER**

On October 1, 2018, the parties filed a Joint Stipulation of Dismissal under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii). Dkt. No. 15. The Stipulation is signed by Plaintiff's counsel and by Defendants' counsel. *Id.* at 3–4. A stipulation of dismissal “is effective upon filing and does not require the approval of the court.” *SmallBizPros, Inc. v. MacDonald*, 618 F.3d 458, 461 (5th Cir. 2010) (quoting *Ramming v. Natural Gas Pipeline Co. of Am.*, 390 F.3d 366, 369 n. 1 (5th Cir. 2004)).

Because the above-captioned case has been dismissed with prejudice, the Court **VACATES** all settings and deadlines in the above-captioned case and **DIRECTS** the Clerk of the Court to close the case.

SIGNED this 4th day of October, 2018.

  


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 Hilda Tagle  
 Senior United States District Judge